

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph found at lines 5 - 10 on page 12 of the specification with the following amended paragraph:

File managing section 503 manages a HTML file stored in auxiliary storage apparatus 14, TIFF file, etc. Auxiliary storage apparatus 14 stores TIFF files 534, ~~HOMEhtml 1535~~ HOME html 535 and applet class file 536 in addition to reception list htm 1531, communication result [[1532]] 532 and address notebook ~~htm 1533~~ html 533

Please replace the paragraph found at lines 16 - 20 on page 12 of the specification with the following amended paragraph:

~~HOMEhtml 1534~~ HOME html 535 is HTML file, which is opened when Java acceptable browser 701 gains first access to WWW server section 500. Applet class file 536 is transferred to Java acceptable browser 701 together with this ~~HOMEhtml 1534~~ HOME html 535.

Please replace the paragraph found at lines 19 - 22 on page 14 of the specification with the following amended paragraph:

Browser module 702 of Java acceptable browser 701 executed by PCs 3 to 5 gains access to the WWW server started by the multi-function system 1, and requests WWW server section 500 to transfer ~~HOMEhtml~~ HOMEhtml.

Please replace the paragraph found at page 14, line 23 through page 15, line 4 of the specification with the following amended paragraph:

File transmitting section 516 of WWW server section 500 detects this request, and requests ~~HOME.html~~ HOME.html of the file managing section 503. File managing section 503 sends ~~HOME.html~~ HOME.html 535 stored in auxiliary storage apparatus 14 to file transmitting section 516. File transmitting section 516 instructs HTTP communication section 510 to transmit ~~HOME.html~~ HOME.html 535 to browser module 702. Browser module 702 displays ~~HOME.html~~ HOME.html on the screens of PCs 3 to 5.

Please replace the paragraph found at lines 5 - 11 on page 15 of the specification with the following amended paragraph:

In this ~~HOME.html~~ HOME.html, a link is pasted to applet class file 536 stored in auxiliary storage apparatus 14. Browser module 702 reads applet class file 536 to which the link is pasted simultaneously when reading the ~~Home.html~~ Home.html. Java acceptable browser 701 opens applet class file 536 so as to operate applet 703. Applet 603 is thus embedded in the ~~Home.html~~ Home.html.

Please replace the paragraph found at lines 8 - 19 on page 23 of the specification with the following amended paragraph:

As explained above, according to multi-function system 1 of this embodiment, WWW server section 500 starts the WWW server so as to transfer ~~HOME.html~~ 535

HOME.html 535 and applet class file 536 to Java acceptable browser 701 accessed to this WWW server. Java acceptable browser 701 executes applet 703 thereon. This applet 703 establishes a communication line between TCP/IP processing section 601 of multi-function system 1 and applet 703. Then, multi-function system 1 transmits reception notification to applet 703. Applet 703 receives this reception notification, and displays it on the display device of each of PCs 3 to 5.